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Sir:

With regard to the May 9, 2002 Responses to Request for Corrected Filing Receipt, as received from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, which inform Applicants that the Patent Office is unable to comply with the request, Applicants respectfully re-submit this Request for Corrected Filing Receipt wherein the filing date is corrected to reflect the actual filing date of May 11, 2001, instead of the date of August 27, 2001. As indicated in the Response to File Missing Parts (filed August 27, 2001), Applicants accepted the application as deposited with the USPTO on May 11, 2001.

Also, based on the May 11, 2001 submission of Utility Patent Application Transmittal and accompanying filing papers, the number of independent claims are 5 (not 2).

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If any further information or documentation is required in order to accede to this request for a corrected Filing Receipt, the Office is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned by telephone at (352) 375-8100.

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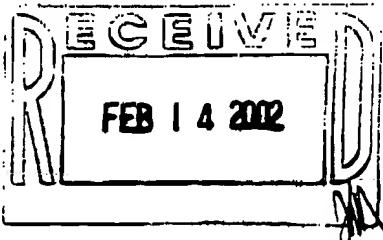
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- The filing fee reflected on the filing receipt is correct. Applicant may have miscalculated the fees due.
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- The inventor information may be truncated if the family name consists of more than 50 characters (letters and spaces combined) and if the given name consists of more than 50 characters (letters and spaces combined).

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A petition to correct the inventorship is needed to make this change. See 37 CFR 1.48. For non-provisional applications, the petition should be directed to the Director of the examining group assigned to your application.

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